

Message Text

SECRET

PAGE 01 VIENNA 01703 261803Z

51

ACTION ACDA-19

INFO OCT-01 EUR-25 ISO-00 CIAE-00 PM-07 H-03 INR-10 L-03

NSAE-00 NSC-10 PA-04 RSC-01 PRS-01 SPC-03 SS-20

USIA-15 SAM-01 NEA-10 TRSE-00 SAJ-01 IO-14 OIC-04

AEC-11 OMB-01 DRC-01 /165 W
----- 043121

R 261540Z FEB 74

FM AMEMBASSY VIENNA

TO USMISSION NATO

SECSTATE WASHDC 1759

SECDEF WASHDC

INFO DIRECTOR CIA WASHDC

S E C R E T VIENNA 1703

FROM US REP MBFR

REF: A) USNATO 0864

B) USNATO 0591

C) STATE 019284

D) USNATO 0982

1. FOR BRUSSELS: TEXT OF I.S. PAPER ON NATO WORK
PROGRAM ON MBFR (REF A, PARA 8) INDICATES THAT THE
MBFR WORKING GROUP IS BEGINNING A CONTINGENCY STUDY
OF AIR MANPOWER FIGURES FOR THE NGA.

2. USDEL MBFR AGREES WITH POINTS RAISED BY US REP
(REF B, PARA 2) IN LINE WITH WASHINGTON GUIDANCE
THAT SUCH A STUDY DOES NOT INDICATE US ACCEPTANCE
OF SOVIET PROPOSALS FOR INCLUSION OF AIR FORCES OR AIR
PERSONNEL IN REDUCTIONS. HOWEVER, IN VIEW OF THE
TIME REQUIRED TO OBTAIN AGREEMENT ON DATA AND THE FACT
THAT THE AHG MIGHT FIND IT USEFUL IN THE NEAR FUTURE
TO HAVE THESE DATA FOR POSSIBLE USE WITH EAST AND
PRESS, USDEL MBFR WOULD APPRECIATE THE FOLLOWING:

SECRET

SECRET

PAGE 02 VIENNA 01703 261803Z

A) MISSION'S ASSESSMENT OF THE LENGTH OF TIME IT

WOULD TAKE TO GAIN SPC/MBFRWG AGREEMENT ON THE AIR
MANPOWER FIGURES AND THEIR USE, AS APPROPRIATE, BY
THE AHG; B) ANY EFFORT MISSION CAN TAKE TO AC-
CELERATE ACHIEVING THIS AGREEMENT.

3. FOR WASHINGTON: RE REF D, PARA 6 - USDEL MBFR
RECOMMENDS THAT, IN VIEW OF THE TACTICAL NEEDS OF
THE AHG OUTLINED ABOVE, NATO AGREEMENT ON THE REVISED
AIR MANPOWER FIGURES BE SOUGHT THROUGH THE MC/161
PROCESS ONLY IF THAT IS CONSIDERED TO BE THE MOST
EXPEDITIOUS APPROACH POSSIBLE.HUMES

SECRET

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: MEETING PROCEEDINGS, MUTUAL FORCE REDUCTIONS, NEGOTIATIONS, AIR FORCE
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 26 FEB 1974
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: golinofr
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1974VIENNA01703
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: DG ALTERED
Executive Order: GS
Errors: N/A
Film Number: n/a
From: VIENNA
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1974/newtext/t1974027/aaaaagph.tel
Line Count: 72
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ACTION ACDA
Original Classification: SECRET
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: SECRET
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: A) USNATO 0864
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: golinofr
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 22 MAR 2002
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <22 MAR 2002 by worrelsw>; APPROVED <01 MAY 2002 by golinofr>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: MBFR WORKING GROUP IS BEGINNING A CONTINGENCY STUDY OF AIR MANPOWER FIGURES
TAGS: PARM, XG, US, NATO, MBFR
To: NATO DOD
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005